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Dear Mr. Weisberg:

I am returning your manuscript, herewith. I took it to Cape Cod with me over the weekend where I had a chance to read it. It is quite a remarkable paper. It contains a great number of statements and allegations that I presume you can support with the material that you have in your own possession. The support is not in the document itself. I would assume that if it were published the impact would be quite sensational. The material associated with Captain Brown was new to me, as well as a considerable number of other things that you write about.

I take it from your letter that you are anxious to have this manuscript back, and I am returning it herewith. I will, as you suggest, register it, valuing it at $100.

In your letter you state that you ask for no help, but suggest that I might be able to direct you to sources of help. I know of no sources that I could suggest to you. Personally, I am so deeply involved in the business affairs of my own corporation that I cannot turn to this problem and try to deal with it as well. Obviously, you have done a tremendous amount of reading and research and are in a position to have considerable impact with your writing.

Best of luck to you with it.

Sincerely,

James M. Gavin

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